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RESPIRATORY CARE

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STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY  
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS  
STATE BOARD OF RESPIRATORY CARE

IN THE MATTER OF:

NICHOLAS J. ANGELASTRO, RRT  
LICENSE NO. ZA 003105

Administrative Action

CONSENT ORDER

LICENSED TO PRACTICE RESPIRATORY:  
CARE IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY :

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Respiratory Care upon the review of information submitted which alleged that Nicholas Angelastro, a respiratory therapist and owner of Professional Pulmonary Services, at all times relevant hereto, aided and abetted the unlicensed practice of respiratory care by Mr. Thomas J. Francis in violation of N.J.A.C. 13:44F-9.2, thus providing grounds for disciplinary action pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(h). Mr. Angelastro was Mr. Francis' employer during the period January 1, 1997 through March 4, 1997, while Mr. Francis was unlicensed. Mr. Angelastro notarized an employer's statement and verification of supervision form in support of Mr. Francis' license application. The form indicated that Mr. Francis performed various

respiratory care duties in New Jersey from January 1 through January 31, 1997, which may only be performed by a licensed respiratory therapist.

The Board having considered the aforesaid information, and the parties being desirous of resolving this matter without the necessity of further formal proceedings, Mr. Angelastro having waived any right to a hearing in this matter, and the Board finding that the within Order is adequately protective of the public health and that good cause exists for its entry:

IT IS ON THIS 28<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF MAY, 1997,

ORDERED:

1. Nicholas J. Angelastro, RRT, is hereby REPRIMANDED for aiding and abetting the unlicensed practice of respiratory care.

2. Nicholas J. Angelastro, RRT shall CEASE AND DESIST from aiding and abetting the unlicensed practice of respiratory care.

3. Nicholas J. Angelastro, RRT is hereby assessed a civil penalty in the amount of \$250.00 which he shall pay within 30 days of his tendering of a signed copy of this Order, by certified check or money order payable to the State of New Jersey.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF RESPIRATORY CARE

By: 

Dr. Jorge Gonzalez Gomez, RRT, REMT  
President

I have read the above Order  
and I understand and agree  
to abide by its terms.

  
Nicholas J. Angelastro, RRT Pro Se